

**OVER WALLOP PARISH COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF MEETING**  
**11th APRIL 2005**

- 221/05 Present: Cllrs. Keightley, Glover, Macey, Burden, Cleife, Hewlett and Mrs Quick  
There were 4 members of the public present.
- 222/05 Apologies: Cllr. Hope
- 223/05 Cllr. Keightley chaired the meeting in the absence of Cllr. Hope,.
- 224/05 The clerk then asked to read a letter from Cllr. Hope. After serving as a member of the council for 36 years, Cllr. Hope tendered his resignation. He will still take an active role in the council in his capacity as Borough Councillor. The whole council wished to express there thanks to Cllr. Hope for all his hard work over the years.
- 225/05 Minutes:  
The minutes of the meeting 14<sup>th</sup> March were signed as a true record. Proposed cllr. Cleife, seconded Cllr Burden. Cllrs. Quick & Keightley requested further copies of the minutes as they had failed to receive a copy by e-mail. It was agreed that as to the unreliability of the e-mail, the clerk would post copies of the minutes to all councillors in the future.
- 226/05 Urgent Items: None
- 227/05 Neighbourhood Watch Update: Ruth Cartright advised that again it has been a quiet month with only minimal crimes reported. Ruth has been talking with Sergeant Ashbolt, and the issue of the shelter has arisen by the children. The council need to investigate the issues with insurance and to look at shelters used by other parishes to see what is involved with the administration of putting up a shelter.  
It was reported that there have been instances of illegal trading within the village from some truck drivers, and that parishioners should be aware and to not get involved.
- 228/05 Planning:  
Retrospective plans:  
TVN09383 Hill View Peach Grove Palestine Replacement 2 story detached dwelling with replacement double garage/storage area. Provision of oil tank, underground gas storage tank, driveway, sewage treatment plant and associated works. Support.  
Proposed PK seconded TB  
Current Plans:  
TRE CA00601/108 Primrose Cottage, Orange Lane, Over Wallop. Fell 1 prunus tree as too close to house. Proposed IC seconded PQ.  
TVN04690/9 Q8 Garage Salisbury Road, Over Wallop. Erection of replacement paint spray workshop. Proposed PQ Seconded AM  
Parishioners are reminded that when making applications to fell trees, they are asked to consider replacing trees to keep the village green. If they are not going to replace trees on their own properties, then they could consider donating to the replanting scheme for the benefit of all parishioners. Please see Cllr. Macey for further details.

229/05 Finance:

The clerk passed around the bank reconciliation to all councillors for approval, for the financial year March 2004 – April 2005.

Current cheques for signature: proposed Cllr. Quick, seconded Cllr. Cleife.

Southern Electric for the sports pavilion £129.76

SEC Contracting non-routine maintenance £ 8.81

Southern Electric Street lighting energy account £144.88

Mrs Sandra Holloway April salary £280.00

The clerk mentioned to the councillors that it had been some time since a meter reading had been taken at the pavilion. Cllr. Keightley agreed to take a reading. The insurance quote from Allianz Cornhill has been received and has increased by approximately 10% since last year. It was agreed that the clerk would look into obtaining other quotes.

230/05 Playground and sports field:

Cllr. Macey will sort out the bar on the cricket field gate ASAP. The new supports for the trees will be done this coming week. The clerk has looked into costs for a refuse clearance within the village, and will report back after talks with TVBC. There are spare plots on the allotments, 1 large and 2 small ones are now available. Please contact Cllr Macey for further details. The quote has been received from Playground Services for the goal nets. It was agreed that Cllr. Macey together with Cllr. Hewlett would measure the nets and determine how many nets are required. The cost was quoted at circa £100 and the council agreed for the purchase to go ahead. Proposed Cllr. Cliefe, seconded Cllr. Quick.

Cllr. Macey advised the council that the yearly ROSPA inspection is due on May 5<sup>th</sup>.

Cllr. Macey gave a proposal for the skateboard ramp, and the general consensus of the council is that it would be a good idea, and that further enquiries should be made after the annual parish meeting.

219/05 Correspondence:

- The clerk has received a history of Over Wallop in the form of a booklet. It can be photocopied and passed out to anyone who wishes to make a nominal donation to St. Peters Church.
- Hampshire CC is reviewing the services of the mobile library. Any parishioner who wishes to comment, should come to the next parish meeting and the clerk will forward comments to Hampshire CC.
- A letter from Mr Howells was read out regarding the parish's hall. This will be forwarded to the chairman of Nether Wallop for perusal.
- TVBC notified the council of the upcoming Test Valley Community Awards. Councillors are to think about whom they wish to nominate and advise the clerk at the next meeting.

220/05 Public points from the floor:

None

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 9.20pm. Sandra Holloway - Clerk

**NEXT MEETING- Annual Parish Meeting - APRIL 25th AT 8PM**